

Yahang language

Yahang (Ya'unk) a.k.a. **Ruruhip** (Ruruhi'ip) is a Torricelli language of Papua New Guinea. It shares the name *Ruruhip* with Heyo, which is closely related.

Phonology

Yahang consonants are:^[3]

p	t	k	ʔ
f	s		h
	r		
	l		
w	j		

Yahang vowels are:^[3]

i	ɨ	u
e	ə	o
a		

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External links

- Paradisec has an open access collection (<http://catalog.paradisec.org.au/collections/DL2>) from Don Laycock that includes Yahong language materials

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Yahang	
Ruruhip	
Native to	Papua New Guinea
Region	Sandaun Province
Native speakers	1,400 (2003) ^[1]
Language family	<div>Torricelli <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maimai<ul style="list-style-type: none">Maimai proper<ul style="list-style-type: none">Yahang–Heyo<ul style="list-style-type: none">Yahang</div>
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	rhp
Glottolog	yaha1247 (http://glottolog.org/resource/lanuoid/id/yaha1247) ^[2]

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